#### Banks.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED. 

BANKERS: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED. INTEREST ALLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the Rate of 2 per cent.

per annum on the Daily Balance. ON FIXED DEPOSITS :--For 12 Months..... per cent.

JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong. Hongkong, 4th February, 1893. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,

LIMITED. Authorised Capital ......£1,000,000 

HEAD OFFICE:-HONGKONG. Court of Directors:-Chow Tung Shang, Esq. D. Gillies, Esq. Kwan Hoi Chuen, Esq. Chan Kit Shan, Esq. H. Stolterfoht, Esq.

Chief Manager, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR. Branches.-London, Yokohama, Shanghai and

BANKERS:-The Commercial Bank of Scotland. Parrs Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.) Interest for 12 "onthe Fixed, 5 per Cent.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1893. THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIEED CAPITAL .....£2,000,000 BANKERS: " CAPITAL & COUNTIES BANK, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE: No. 3, PRINCE'S STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES:

BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI. AGENCIES:

PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA. RATES OF INTEREST.

A LLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained on application. Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Manager. Hongkong, 6th November, 1803.

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#### Intimations.

THE PHARMACY.

TILETCHER & Co. Discensing and Retail Chemists, Perfumers, Druggists Sundriesmen and Patent Medicine Vendors.

KEPLER'S MALT .....\$14.00 SCOTT'S EMULSION......\$13.00 SCOTT'S EMULSION.....\$23.00

TOILET ACCESSORIES :--Perfume Bottles, Cut Crystal, Combs, Bruskes, Sponges, Sponge Bags, Flesh Gloves

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Ask for Dr. KNORR'S ANTIPYRINE | Rach Tin bears the inventor's signature "Dr. KNORR" in red letters. To be had at every reputed Chemist and

Druggist. Supplies constantly on hand at the China Export Import and Bank Compagnie.

Beware of spurious imitations. Hongkong, 7th April, 1894.

DENTISTRY. SAKATA (from Japan), Mr. SUI SANG, DENTAL SURGEONS.

55, Queen's Road Central. First Class Dentistry and Moderate Fees. Consultation Free. Hongkong, 9th April, 1894.

F. BLACKHEAD & CO., SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMARERS COAL AND PROVISION MER-CHANTS, NAVAL CONTRACTORS AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS,

PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG,

SOLE AGENTS FOR Lyartmann's rahtjen's genuine COMPOSITION, HARTMANN'S GREY PAINT. DAIMLER'S PATENT MOTOR LAUNCHES

EVERY KIND OF SHIP'S STORES AND REQUISITES ALWAYS IN STOCK

in Expellent Style at short notice. REASONABLE PRICES. (you del Bengiong, god May, 1891. Manghery, 14th Taly, 1892.

#### Insurances.

#### THE STANDARD.

ENDOWMENT ASSURANCE.

I. AMONG THE MANY ADVANT-AGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned:-

(a)-It secures an immediate Provision for wife and family or other selatives in event of early death. (b)-It provides a Fund for Retirement.

(c)-It supplies an excellent Investment for the regular accumulation of small fixed sums of money. (d)-The Surrender and loan values are

larger than under ordinary Policies. 2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN THREE YEARS IN FORCEshould the Policy-holder wish to discontinue future payments-he will be entitled to receive, on application, a FREE PAID-UP POLICY for a proportionate amount of the Sum Assured, as explained in the Prospectus.

Full particulars on application, DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Agents, STANDARD LIFE OFFICE. Hongkong, 8th August, 1803.

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept I FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on fvaourable terms. Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices.

S. J. DAVID & Co.,

Hongkong, 5th April, 1894.

NOTICE. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED .....\$1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS AT CURRENT RATES ON GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies. HEAD OFFICE,

No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 24th November, 1893. GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 } \$833,333.33 EOUAL TO ..... RESERVE FUND ..... \$318,000.00. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LO YEUR MOON, Esq.

LEE SING, Esq. Lou Teo Shun, Esq. MANAGER.—HO AMEL

/ ARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the World.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST. Honokong, 17th December, 1885.

#### Intimations.

SHANGHAI RACES.

DETURN TICKETS, FIRST SALOON, . for the above RACES can be obtained on and after this date by the Steamers of the undermentioned Lines, available for one month from date of issue.

FARE.....\$60. H. H. JOSKPH, Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Agent, M. M. Co.

Hongkoug, 5th April, 1894.

NOTICE.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL ROTISSERIE has been RE-OPENED under new and experienced management.

The STRICTEST ATTENTION paid to the CUISINE.

A STAFF of thoroughly trained and specially selected servants has been engaged and is under the immediate supervision of the Manager. Hongkong, 6th April, 1894.

BOARD AND RESIDENCE, No. I. VICTORIA VIEW, KOWLOON.

TRS. SMITH and Mrs. LEWIS have taken the above admirably situated Establishment, where VISITORS will find every | Hints to Horsewomen, by Mrs. Alibut. Accommodation at moderate rates. Hongkong, and April, 1894.

THOMAS' GRILL ROOMS, (Corner of Queen's Road and Duddell Street.)

THE Undersigned has always thought that such a piace as this was the one thing needed to fit in between HOTEL LIFE and the PRIVATE BOARDING House-providing it be First-class in every detail. A place where one may have his GRILLED CHOP or STEAK at any hour of the Day, up to II P.M.; or later if notice be given. He is also prepared to SUPPLY MEALS to PRIVATE PARTIES per: MENU or ORDER—the Parties sending Dishes, &c., for same-and Cash. Scale on application.

Monthly Board for One Person ... \$35.00 AMERICAN FROZEN OYSTERS, always on hand and served in every Style. Breakfast ......\$0.50

SPECIAL TIFFINS and DINNERS served W. THOMAS. Proprietor.

Untimations.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin "-A. B. C. Code .- TELEPHONE, No. 32.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED. PROPRIETORS.....

THE HONGKONG HOTEL-the most commedious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East. affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pudder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and beggage to and from all Mail Steamers. THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the existing being under experienced supervision.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communicators. The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new, Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience. The WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROUMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers. and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER. Manager.

## DAWSON'S PERFECTION OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

ALLISTON & CO., SOLE AGENTS, Hongkong and the Far East, 68; Queen's Road Central ongkong, 11th December, 1503.

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NEW GOODS.

RAIN COATS AND UMBRELLAS. CHAIR APRONS, RUBBER BOOTS. REMINGTON 1 YPE-WRITERS.

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COORING RANGES, COORING UTENSILS. ASPINALL'S ENAMELS.

LINE CRAWFORD&COS

Hongkong, 7th April, 1804

Hongkong, 17th November, 1892.

# CENTRAL HOTEL

SHANGHAI.

Electric Lighting throughout the Premises.

Telegraphic Address :--"CENTRAL SHAMOHAL"

Colonial Secretary's Office, THIS long-established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river in the

centre of the Settlements, is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, Douche, Shower, Sprays, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter. COMMODIOUS RECEPTION ROOM FOR VISITORS.

SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &-c. An Assistant attends on Passengers by Mall Stramers.

N.B.—Special reduced charges may be arranged for on application to the Manager.

F. E. REILLY, PROPRIBTOR.

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BOOKS RELATING TO HORSES AND RIDING.

HAYES' RIDING ON THE FLAT AND Modern Horsemanship, by Anderson.

ACROSS COUNTRY, The Horse: Management in Health and Disease, Hayes' Points of the Horse. Hayes' Veterinary Notes for Horse Owners. Hayes' Soundness and Age of Horses. Hayes' Training & Horse Management in India.

Hayes' Illustrated Horse Breaking.

-Hongkong, 31st March, 1804.

Riding for Ladies, by Mrs. O'Donoghue.

School Training for Horses, by Anderson.

The Horsewoman, by Mrs. Hayes.

by G. Armatage. Riding for Pupils, by "A Pupil." Badminton Riding. Badminton Driving.

BOOKS ON DOGS. Stonehenge on "The Dog,"
Dogs; a Massel for Amateurs. Our Dogs and TheiriDiseases,

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MARION'S Photographic D.y Plates, Ordio Delmara-Science of Money, party, Instantaneous and Rapid. Varieties Sinologiques, by the Majob Geleket Balls. A spicodid lot of Tennis Bats, Balls and Shoes. Three Castle Cigarettes in tias. Sweet Briar Cigarettes.

Pocket Knives. Who's Who. 1804. Custance-Riding Recollections & Turi Stories. Gold, Sport and Coffee-planting in Mysora.

Varietes Sinologiques, by the Jesuit Fathers, 4 Savory's Domestic Medicine. Serf's Blamp Album. The International Stamp Albem, Stanley Gibbon's Stamp Album.

W. BREWER, CHUTH BONGKONG HOTTEL

Large quantity of New Chesp Literature.

Mark Twaln's Birthday Book.

Brown Russia Boots and Shees.

# Intimations.

THE PEAK CHURCH.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of DONORS and SUBSCRIBERS to the PEAK, CHURCH will be held at ST. PAUL'S COLLEGE, on WEDNESDAY, April 18th, 1894, at 5 P.M., "for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Committee, passing the Accounts and electing a New Committee for the ensuing

All who are interested in the Peak Church are hereby invited, but attention is called to the

following extract from the rules :--4.—The management of the Church and its to be elected annually by the Church

3.—Every Person who shall subscribe \$5 and upwards annually, and also every original Donor of not less than \$25 shall be a member of the Church Body.

R. F. COBBOLD, Hon. Sec., for the Committee. Hengkong, oth April, 1894

THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.

THE NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING

COMPANY, LIMITED, NTOTICE is hereby given, that unless such of the SHAREHOLDERS in BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, as have omitted to send in applications for the Shares to which they are entitled to the NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED, under the Agreement dated the 29th January, 1894, and made between the first named Company of the first part, myself of the second part and the last named Company of the third part, as required by the notice given by me on the 13th February last, apply for the same, in the form prescribed by such notice, accompanied with a PAYMENT of FIFTY CENTS per Share, on or before the 14th April instant, I shall WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE proceed to SELL the sald Shares so unapplied for as provided by the said Agreement.

> CARL GEORG, Liquidator of the Belmoral Gold Mining Company, Limited.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION, No. 110.

Dated 6th April, 1894.

TNFORMATION has been received from the Military Authorities that ARTILLERY PRACTICE from the Batteries will take place si under, from the 9th to 14th Instant, between the hours of S'A.M. and Noon, daily :-

From Stonecutters' Island in Westerly and South-westerly directions From Belcher's Lower, in Northerly and North-westerly directions. From Ly-e-mun in Southerly and South- Freight, apply to

easierly directions.

All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the ranges. The inhabitants of the houses near Belcher's are warned to keep their glass windows open during the PRACTICE, and all people working in the vicinity of Belcher's Battery are also warned to keep clear of that part which will be

By Command. G. T. M. O'BRIEN, Colonial Secretary.

Hongkoog, 5th April, 1894 HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

SATURDAY, APRIL 14TH, 1894, at 2.45 P.W COMPETITION "MARTINI" and SHORT . RANGE CUPS and SPOONS; Ranges

200, 500 and 600 yards; Siven Shots and a Sighter at each distance. Entrance fee 30 cents, The first 5 shots at each distance to count for "Martini" Cpp. Scores at 100 and 600 yards to count for Short Range Cup and Spoons. ARTHUR CHAPMAN,

Honorary Secretary. Hongkong, 9th April, 2894

FOUND. VALUABLE BROOCH, Apply to

A. HAHN, No. I. Duddell Street. Hongkong, 4th April, 1894

A T the Theatre Royal, City Hall, on the night of the gret instant !--A SILVER-BRAIDED WAISTCOAT. The finder will oblige by returning them to "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

OFFICE.

LOST.

Hongkong, 20th March, 1804.



CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co.

WINE and SPIRIT

Merchants, HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, LONDON AM GLASGOW 13. Queen's Road, Hongkong, 24th August, 1804.

. W. KEW & CO.'S STEAM WATER BOATS PURE PRESH WATER.

THE attention of SHIPOWYERS, AGENTS and CAPTAINS is called to the Superior Quality of TYTAM FILTERED WATER offered by J. W. KRW & Co., also to the advantages derived from their being able to Supply their Water in one-iquith the time occupied by the old fashioned and obsolute hand pumps. No impeding the loading or discharging of

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# Masonic.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF

HONGKONG, No. 1,165, E.C.

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on MONDAY, the 16th instant, at 8.30 for o p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, oth April, 1894.

DISTRICT GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF HONGKONG AND SOUTH CHINA.

THE FOURTH ANNUAL CONVOCA-TION of the DISTRICT GRAND CHAPTER of HONGKONG AND SOUTH CHINA, will be held in the MASONIC, HALL, Zeiland Street, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 26th instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Hongkong, 3rd April, 1894.

# Shipping.

STEAMERS.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY.

UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE. THE Company's Steamship "VINDOBONA," Captain P. Mersa, will leave for the above places on or about SATURDAY, the 14th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SANDER & Co., Hongkong, 6th April, 1804.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-

TION COMPANY. UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT. STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,

BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, VENICE, FIUME, AND TRIESTE. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SKA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS).

THE Company's Steamship "MARIA VALERIE," Captain G. Costanzo, will be despatched as above SATURDAY, the rath instant. Cargo will not be received on board after a P.M. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and

SANDER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, oth April, 1804. "SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND ROTTERDAM.

THE Steamship indicated by gunners placed on sentry for the Captain Daniels, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 25th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, 5th April, 1804 "MILBURN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE Steamship "PORT PHILLIP," Captain Grey, R.N.R., will be despatched for the above Ports early in May.

FOR NEW YORK, YIA SUEZ CANAL.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 6th April, 1804.

SAILING VESSELS. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L L L American Bark "EDWARD MAY." McClure, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongwong, 17th March, 1804.

# Constances.

"UNION" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM MIDDLESBRO' AND ANTWERP. THE Steamship "ABERGELDIE"

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained No Claims will be admitted after the Goods

have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon on the 16th April, or they will not be recognized.
All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are

to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 14th April, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 16th April, will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SHEWAN & Co.,

Hongkong, 9th April: 1804.

NGAL SHANG. 20, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

of Every Description. CHAIRS, COUCHES, TABLES, BASKETS, CHILDREN'S COTS, &L, &C. Latest Patterns, Best Workmanship.

Rattan Core, Eplit Rutten, Canton Reed and Studies of all Made Hongkong, soch November, soch

FURNITURE

#### Intimations.

DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & CO., LD.

#### WARM CLOTHES.

THESE will all be spoilt before next cold weather unless properly taken care of.

**NAPHTHALINE** 

is the best thing to keep away Moths, &c., and prevent clothes smelling fusty.

FIFTY CENTS PER TIN.

#### DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & COMPANY, LIMITED, VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, 6th April, 1894.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

On and after the 1st April, 1894, the Prices of our WINES and SPIRITS will be as follows:-

WINES AND SPIRITS.

PORT. (For Invalids and general Use.)

B Vintage, superior quality, Red Capsule ...... \$14.40 C Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule

Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule (Old Bottled) ..... 20.40 Port after removal should be rested for a month before use. Wine regulred for drinking at once

hould be ordered to be descanted at the Dispensary before sent out. These wines are too well known to need comment. Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be

supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only sugranted our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony, or from our authorised Agents at the Coast Ports.

SHERRY Per dozen Case. Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule. \$10.80 C Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule ... CC Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule ..... 12.00 D Very Superior Old Pale Dry. choice Old Wine, White Seal Capsule..... Extra Superior Old Pale Dry,

very finest quality. Black Scal Capsule (Old Bottled) B, C, and C C are excellent dinner wines or for invalids and delicate stomachs. D and E are after dinner wines of a very superior vintage. All are true Xeres wines.

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COASt Ports.		
-9-4	Per	Per
CLARET.	Case	Case
	1 dos.	doz.
7 7 7 1 7 1 7 1	Quarts.	Pints.
B St. Estephe, Red Capsule\$	6.96	7.50
C St. Julien, Red Capsule	0,00	9.60
D La Rose, Red Capsule	12 96	13.02
Sainte Foy	7 20	7.02
Cussac	0 60	10.44
Chateau d'Anglade	3.20	14.40
Chateau Haut Bilon Larrivet	18.60	10.20
Chareau Mouton d'Armail-	1	- 3.4.
hard'	27.00	40.00

дасц: ..... 21.00 22.20 Our Clarets, including the lowest priced, are guaranteed to be the genuine product of the juice of the grape, and are not artificially made from raising and currants, as is generally the case with cheap wines.

Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony, or from our authorised Agents at the Coast Ports.

носк.	Quarts.	Per Case e dos. Pints.
Nierstein	\$12.00	
Rudesheimer	21.00	
Hockheimer	24 00	
BURGUNDY		
Chablis, white winc	15.00	
Chablis, white wine	vins 18.00	_
Volnay, very superior red v	vine 21.00	22.20

MADEIRA AND CHAMPAGNE. Full particulars of the various Brands on

application, BRANDY.

Per dozen Case

Per deren Case.

Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsule ...... \$14.40 Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule ..... Very Old Liqueur Cognac ... Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vin-

tave, Red Capsula ...... 36.00 E Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1862 Vintage..... All our Brandy is guaranteed to be pure Cognac, the difference in price being merely a

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WHISKY. SCOTCH-

Thorne's Blend White Can-

question of age and vintage.

	~~	Addition Dienot Adding Cab.	•
1		sule	\$10.80
	$\mathbf{B}$	Watson's Glenorchy Mellow	
		Blend, Blue Capsule with	1941
		Name and Trade Mark	10.80
	C	Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet,	
		Red Capsule with Name	
	,	and Trade Mark	12.00
	D	Watson's HKD Blend of the	
		Finest Scotch Malt Whis-	
		kles, Violet Carsule	14.40
	E	Watson's Very Old Liqueur	146
		Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-	1

Old Sootch Whisky ......

Daniel Crawford's Linest Very

Intimations.

Our lowest priced Whisky is of excellent quelity and of greater age than most brands in the market. We recommend our customers not to be deterred by the lowness of price from trying them all. For a soda-whisky, Thorne's Blend and Watson's Glenorchy are equal to any. Abelour-Glenlivet is a very old Peat Whiky. that could not be replaced in stock at the price. D and E are too well known to need comment. IRISH-

Per doren Case. A John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule ...... \$12.00 B John Jameson's Fine Old. Green Capsule 15.00

Old, Green Capsule ..... All these are very fine and old. Chas been stocked in Hongkong in wood for 20 years, there being little sale for Irish Whisky in the Colony.

C John Jameson's Very Fine

AMERICAN-Genuine Bourbon Whisky, Fine Old, Red Capsule, with our Name and Trade

Mark ...... \$15.00 Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to

be genuine when bought direct from us in the [36] Colony, or from our authorised Agents at the about a month ago. Coast Ports.

GI'N.

Per doren Case. A Fine Old Tom, White Capsule \$ 7.20 B Fine Unsweetened, White Capsule ..... R U M.

Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule ..... \$15.00 Good Leeward Island ...... GordiLeeward Island ... \$2.50 per Gallon.

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LIQUEURS. Benedictine. Maraschino, Heering's Cherry Cordial Curscon. Dr. Siegert's Augustura Chartreuse. Bitters, &c.

PRICES ON APPLICATION.

S. WATSON & CO., LD. HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, 30th March, 1894.

DEATH. At the Peak Hospital, on the 10th April, 1894 R. A. NIVEN, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, aged 25.

HONGKONG, TURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1894.

#### TELEGRAMS.

MORE TOMMY-ROT.

LONDON, April 8th. The Emperor of Germany met with a very cordial reception at Venice. His visit was marked by a succession of brilliant fitter.

ANOTHER DIPLOMATIC ROBBERY. It is understood that the British Government has decided to retain Uganda, which will be under local administration.

THE SPANISH COLONIES.

MADRID, April and. The Ministers have laid their programme before the Council to-day. The proposals include reform in Colonial mortgage laws.

THE SANTANDER DYNAMITE SHIP. . The last traces of the dynamice-laden steamer Machichaco have now disappeared, and the people who lived in the neighbourhood and had removed are now returning, as there is apparently no further danger.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE Manila Tramway Co. has paid a dividend of \$5 per share for the second half of 1802.

AN able seaman on board H.M.S. Archer, now in Singapore harbour, fell from aloft on the 2nd iost, and broke his leg.

THE annual rifle shooting competition between Singspore, Shanghai and Hongkong will take Mr. Wildridge is in good besith, and was well place between the 21st April and 5th May, both dates inclusive.

"I know I'm a bad man," said Old Soak, " know I drink like a fish." "I was under the impression that fish only drank water," suggested the missionary, blandly

And then there was a noise like unto the falling of a thousand bricks. THE Penang Athenseum seems, says the Pinang Gazette, to have died an unnatural death through limiting the range of its discussions. It began

to droop after it was decided that no religious or

political subject should be discussed, and did

not last long after these interesting topics were MR WOODWARD, one of Singapore's magistrates, 25 per cent. below the standard of pure gold. publicly expressed the opinion a few days ago | Our contemporary's reply to this query is amusin the Supreme Court that from fifty to sixty | ing, if nothing else, "We fancy," sagely observes per cent. of the cases tried in the Police Court | the Advertiser, "that whether at 63 5/-or £4 per of that colony were characterised by grots ounce the shareholders would be very pleased to is absolutely correct. In Hongkong about the mine every week or two." ninety per cent. of perjurers (including select jurymen) in each case would be about a correct

estimate. THE subjoined announcement appears in a recent Calcutta Gazette!-"The following have leave of absence out of

"1st Battallon, Rast Kent Regiment.-Major N. Newnbam-Davis, on private affairs, pending rethement from the service." "It is whispered," says a writer in the Asiam,"

"that Major Newnham-Davis, who, it is an open secret, is the author of the sprightly letters on else. Indian social and sporting subjects which have from time to time appeared in the Sporting Times over the signature of the Dwarf of Blood, is exchanging the sword for the pen and will foin the noble army of Ficet-Streeters profess onally. He is already on his way home." Major Newsbam-Davis was in Hongkong with "the Grand Old Buffs." and in still well to give it. zemembered in local social and dramatic circles. we we an amateur actor of more than average ability, and since leaving this colony has had strongthen it, considerable experience on the professional stage.

China and Japan waters.

Ir is reported that over 600,000 tons of rainwater fell over the auld toon o' Greenock lately within 14 hours—and still the inhabitants stuck to whisky.

THE Bengal opium sales during the past year, according to recently published Indian trade returns, show a deficit of sixty-five and a ha lakes on the estimate.

A REGULAR meeting of St. John's Lodge, No. 618 S.C. will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, on Thursday, the 12th instant, at 8.30 for o pm. precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially

A. MELBOURNE bookmaker named Patrick steamers were bullt in Great Britain, M'Mahon, who refused to pay a bet he lost to one of the noble army of brokers, was sentenced to three months' immisonment at the City Court on March 12th.

We are informed by the agents (Messrs. Shewap & Co.) that the "Union" Line steamer Angers, from Middlesbro' and Antwerp, left Singapore for this part this afternoon, and is due on or about the 17th inst.

WE beg to acknowledge receipt of the Chinese edition of the report on coast and harbour lights and beacons, published by the Imperial Maritime | otherwise. We decline all anonymous corres-Customs. The English version was issued pondence.

THE German mail steamer Sachien, which arrived here this morning, delivered her mails from Europe in Singapore inside twenty-three days, having made the passage from Ceylon t Singapore in four days and twenty-one hours.

CAPTAIN J. J. Brownell, of the British ship Kambira, was sent to gaol for three months by the British Consul at Nagasaki on the 28th ulto., for shooting at the boatswain while at sea on the 5th February, during a row caused by the second officer, J. Brownell, Jr., striking the bostswain.

THE steamer Ban Whatt Hin, which arrived in Singapore from Pontlanak (Borneo) on the 4th inst., reported having spoken the American ship St. Mark, Capt. Nichols, from New York to Hongkong, in lat. 1 deg. 15 mln. N. and lo 104 deg. 50 min. E .- about twenty-five miles E by S. from the Horsburg Light. The St. Mark desired to be reported "all well."

Juggins (eminent sporting and dramatic critic of the Daily Distress)-I say Kitts, old man, that villain in your last piece is simply immense; where did you conceive the character?

Kit & (heavy villain)-Ah, ha, me boy, I got you there! I just imagined all the varieties o gets in a temper-and there you are.

Says the Straits Times of the 4th inst :- "The rise in silver since last week is the topic of the day. Brokers are rushing about quite excitedly and, to merchants, the question of every hour to buy or not to buy? Even people who would have talked golf last week are talking exchange this week. No one knows why silver should be announced to be scarce; but it is so declared. Mexican dollars are even scarcer than silver."

OUR Singapore contemporary the Free Pres. hears that the large floating dock at Sourabaya has sunk and that Mr. John Lawson has gone down to Scurabaya to make arrangements for raising her. The Straits Insurance Company are said to have a line on her of 60,000 guilders half of which was reinsured, the total insurance was gire, 260,000 but as the Dock was not sund by a peril of the sea no claim will be made under

THE following report on the recent earthquake has been published by the Manila Observatory: and April there was a horizontal and vertical tremor of the earth, lasting 45 seconds. Two distinct series of oscillations were observed, with an interval of 8 seconds. In the first series, the seismological instruments registered vibrations from north-west to south-east and from north-east to south-west, of 0.30 and 0.20 magnitude respectively; the vertical motion indicated 1.5 m/m In the second series the movement was only horizontal, from north-west to south-east, and of from various parts of the Philippines show that comparatively slight damage was done.

A SYDNEY contemporary of the 12th ulto, has the following regarding a gentleman who was at one -"Mr. J. Wildridge, of the firm of Messrs Wildridge and Sinclair, consulting engineers, of Pitt afternoon by the steamship Arawa, which made fast to the A.U.S.N. Co.'s wharf at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Wildridge was despatched by the owners of the steamer Mlowers to Honolulu when that vessel went E st. aground at that port. Mr. Wildridge was placed in charge of the Miowera, which he took safely to Vancouver, where he joined the Arawa, and was a passenger on her to Sydney this triv camed back by a number of friends as soon as he landed."

A CORRESPONDENT saks the Singapore Datis Advertiser-"How is it that the gold realised from the last Raub clean-up, as given in the balance sheet dated September 30th, 1893, is valued at such a low figure per ounce? amount given is £8,000 for 2,470 oz., bringing out at the very poor rate of £3.4.5 per cs. The previous crushing, given in the same balance sheet, is £5,964 for 1,609 ex., or at the rate of £3.14.1 per oz. As it is generally believed that pure gold is worth £4.5/- per cunce, it would seem as if Raub gold was very much mixed. In the first instance given above, it would appear that Raub gold was only equal to IR carat, or THE ATHLETE.

Exercise will help a young man to lead chaste life. become diseased if not exercised. will probably have to take time to be ill.

sickness. will rest the tired brain better than anything

proper use of them our Maker will hold us responsible. the mind while the body was allowed to suffer. goes to make life a success. Exercise will help

training will do for your mind-educate and A man "too busy" to take care of his health The callant Major (he was Captuin then) was a | is like a workman too busy to sharpen his tools. valued contributes to the Honghong Telegreek. -Glasgow Hirald.

THE Spanish cruiser Don Juan de Austria was A CHICAGO paper heads a leading atticle, to leave Manila on the 8th inst, for a cruite in | " I houghts About Money." There is no necessity for reading it. We all have them.

"JONES, you talk like a fool," "I do." "Then you admit it?" "Certainly." "And why do you talk like a fool ?" "So that you may be able to understand me"

RUMOURS are affort in Upper Burms—says the Allahabad Morning Post-to the effect that a Burmese King is a cending the throne, the approsed originator being the Wuntho Swabwa. now exiled in China.

THE number of steamers in the Russian mercantile navy, which in the year 1873 was 150 (75,0.0 tons measurement) rose at the end of 1893 to 326 (157,000 tons). Nearly all of these

Teacher-Do you understand the meaning the word remorre?

Bad Boy-Yes'm. "Define it."

"It's bein' sorry you forgot to put your j'ography in your pants,"

IF the correspondent who uses the nom de plume "Rum-Tl-Foo' will send his name and address, in accordance with our regulations, his communication on the "Water Supply in China-town" will be published in the Telegraph; but not

IT was decreed by Mr. H. E. Wodehouse at the Magistracy this morning that Churg Awong, the sorcerer who appeared before him on the 4th inst, to answer to the charge of cheating a Chinese engineer out of \$200, under circumstances reported in these columns at the time. should tell no more fortunes for a period of nine calendar months, and that his aids should re ire into the innermost recesses of Victoria Gaol for three months owing to his inability to find any one willing to risk \$ 100 on his conduct during the next six months.

IT is rumoured, says the Bangkok Free Press. that the Sixmese intend to abolish the "International Court" and that foreign plaintiffs, in cases where Siamese are defendants, will be required to proceed in Slamese Courts in the ordinary manner. At the present time the Foreign Representatives enjoy (1) the privilege of attending such cases and sitting on the bench and offering comments upon the case while proceeding. This privilege is sought to be abolished, and Prince Sevasti is doubtless making this reform one chief point of the Franco-Stamese Treaty new in course of negotiation,

HAVING threatened saintly Stead with the committed for trial; but when the case was Chicago gaol if he dares to print his book on "villainously immoral landlords," the good folks villalny that Juliana ascribes to me when she of Chicago are now making poetry about that social purity crank. Here is a sample:-

Male disreputables need not dread.
Their threatened doom with anxious look, Nor compromise the thing with Stead, For who will over read his book!

Another effort of the Chicago muse runs into epigram, the point of which describes Mr. Stead as having an incurable delusion that he is Providence in its most disagreeable form.

THE Singapore Free Press says :- "Mr. William Bibby, Junt., who is presently going over to Kotie, in Borneo, to examine a certain mining concession on behalf of one or two residents of Singapore, expresses himself as well satisfied with the look of the reel struck at Raub at Buki Koman. It is of course nothing new; as it merely a contact at the depth of the shaft with th reef located on the surface by the old prehistori workings. That it should be struck 8 ft broad and crerying apparently a fair quantity of gold throughout has evidently quite satisfied both of the Messis. Bibby. Mr. William Bibby never thought better of Raub than he does now, and they are busy up there erecting the extra re -"At 2 h. 36 m. 30 s. on the morning of the | heads of stamps on the battery so as to have plenty of milling power to deal with the stone from the reef when It is fairly opened out."

POOR silver will soon, says the Financial News, have no friends left save Mr. Bland and the Hongkorg Chamber of Commerce. Persia has closed her ports to the white metal, which is thus more of an outcast than ever. Meanwhile, the Hongkong Chamber has cabled home an encryetic protest against the latest step by which smaller intensity than the first," The reports | the Government has endeavoured to throw the entire trade of the East permanently out of gear. We note, by the way, that the report of the same Chamber in favour of the coining of a British dollar, the full text of which has now arrived in this country, makes the recommendation, solely time known and deservedly popular in Hongkong: | because of the excessive scarcity of Mexican dollars, and the consequent difficulty of carrying on business. Previous attempts to coin trade street, returned to Sydney from Vancouver this | dollars, by France and the United States, to compete with the Mexican coin have been hollow failures; but, of course, the case is altered if Mexican dollars are becoming too scarce to suffice for the requirements of the Far

after a brief-discussion in which it was stated they now draw considerably less than that, in

Chiseset visit him, wi ha view to conferring race. Mr. Cox both sang and acted with Any man who does not take time for exercise | attended. During the evening tea was served in About ten minutes later Phra Pak-di, Phra the successes of the evening was Mr. G. became seriously ill. Dr. Hays and Dr. Kelsall Plate called a man lame because he exercised I tolly recovered. On examining the tea a polion-A sound body lies at the foundation of all that I covered. One arrest was made-that of a servant | man who broke the bank at Monte Carlo," other arrests will be made. The matter has actress mimicking an impossible dardy. caused much stir in leading Chinese and Siamere

THE Globo, a Spanish journal, states with approval that there is about to be formed in Madrid an influential Association under the title of "Gibraltar," the object of which will be to obtain the retrocession of Gibraltar to Spain. The Association will have numerous branches his glory, and especially in consideration of the throughout the Provinces.

YESTARDAY morning, says the Singapore Free Press of the 4th inst., the heavy part of the shore end of the Hongkong-Labuan cable, ex steamship Scotta, was laid by means of a lighter from the Cable House, Tanjong Katong. about a mile and a half cutwards. And at 6 o'clock this morning this end was taken on board the Scotia and joined to the first section of the main cable in the tanks, some 800 miles in length. The "aplicing" was witnessed by a number of ladies and gentlemen from the shore, amongst whom were Mr. and Mrs Stringer, Mr. and Mrs. Judd, of Hongkong, Miss Fraser, Mrs. Ellis, Miss Riddle and several of the officials of the Telegraph Co. As soon as the joint was completed the ship proceeded on her way to Labuan.

SUPREME COURT.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

(Before Mr. R. J. Ackroyd, Acting Chief April 10th.

STOLEN SWEETS.

-Ho Yl Sang sued Chu Yun, 'Chu Pul, Wong Ping, Mok Chun Chol, Leung Ping Kwong, and Lan Lai Sang, for \$5,000 as damages for wrongful imprisonment, and malicious prosecution. Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., Instructed by Mr. H. L. Dennys, was for the plaintiff : Mr. E. Robinson, instructed by Mr. C. Ewens, was for the first three defendants; and Dr. Ho Kai, instructed by Mr. Ho Wyson, was for the other defendants

The following jury (common) was sworn :--Luroy, W. T. Shewan, F. Smyth, H. A. S. Thompson, D. K. Sliman, D. McDonald, and

Mr. Francis opened the case at very great length. The steamship Deuteros was chartered by her agents (G. R. Stevens & Co) to the King Wo Cheong firm, who sub-chartered to some firm in Sourabaya to bring a cargo of sugar in various forms. The sugar was in different lots for different consignees, and there was a great deal of leakage. The plain iff, Ho Yi Sang, was supercarge on the ship, and was accused of stealing the wet augar which had leaked out in large quantities. Plaintiff was brought before the magistrate on the 16th November and was called on before the Criminal Sessions the prosecutors could not establish their case. The plaintiff therefore was released, after being arrested and imprisoned and put to very great trouble and expense; though as a matter of fact there had never been any augar stolen by anybody. At 5 p.m. the case was adjourned until

THE V. R. C. SMOKING CONCERT.

A smoking concert under the auspices of the Victoria Recreation Club was held in the Club Gymnasium on Saturday night last, in the presence of a large audience. The management of the en'ertainment had evidently done their dow: pour was coming at last. And it rained to utmost to make things comfortable for everybody, but the appliances available were utterly inadequate to sustain the strain put upon them. As a gymnasium the place may be all right ; a. hundreds of smokers and non-smokers, it leaves much to be d sired. Doubtless the seats as placed | by results, although it is greatly to be regretted the very large proportion of boys and young lads | impression that it would be a wet afternoon (mostly aliens) so conspicuous in the audience | and that the Grand Stand enclosure would would have been in much more suitable be a sea of mud. Fortunately, however, the quarters at their respective homes. The youngsters of this colony are in evidence more | covers the enclosure was not in the slightest than enough in connection with many of cur public institutions without having them aming pour. At first the attendance inside was and acquiring hat its which, to say the least, can | conspicuously small, but as the afternoon only tend to undesirable results. We would wore on it very materially increased, and strongly recommend the Committee of the V. R. C. to exercise their authority to the almost extent in keeping these precocious boys in their proper place at all Club functions.

The acoustic properties of the Gymnasium, ance and enlivened matters wonderfully by judging from Saturday's experiences, are playing the following programme in their best non-existent, and, in fact, the only relief to a gloomy and uncomfortable concert room was the pietty little stage with its striking back ground-a view of Hongkong, painted, we believe, by that able and painstakl g artist, Mr. W.

Brother Murphy and the String Band of " The

Shropshires" were in attendance and opened the show with the overture "V. R. C. Stray Leaves." a composition of the clever Bandmaster's which was admirably rendered and loudly applauded. A GENERAL meeting of members of the Hong- attempt to sing Blumenthal's solo, immortalised fact less than any members of the London, was scarcely so successful as usual in Dan UNDER the heading "Attempted Wholesale | Master-Sergeant Cox. made a decided hit in a perjuiles. And no doubt his Worship's opinion | see a few more bricks of it coming down from | had a nirrow escape of being murdered. On | Horgkong shouldy philanthropist who recently | with good judgment. Mr. Humphreys's perdy roan, Sunday night he invited several prominent offered a ten-dollar cup for an important pony about tenders for the opium and other monopolies | considerable ability and with unmistakable Finance Department, together with four in- whether some of his local hits were strictly in Metal will rust if not used, and the body will dividuals who formerly farmed the sale of opium | accordance with the canons of good taste. No refused to join his field and was left at the in the provinces, and Phra Pak-di's head clerk, praise could be too high for the rendering post. Luginaland, who turned the wrong way when of the march "The British Patrol" by Mr. C. the flag fell, also losing a lot of ground, the usual way, and partaken of by everyone except | Tilly (mandeline) and Mr. A. S. Hourne (guitar). | Gungadeen | made most of the running closely Exercise gradually increases the physical the four individuals referred to, who excused The enthusiastic encore which greeted this attended by Erile and Silver King, and inside powers and leaves more strength to resist themselves, and left very shortly afterwards, performance was thoroughly monited. One of the distance it looked as if Mr. David's top-Varied, light and brisk exercise, next to sleep, Noraret, the confidential clerk, and a servant Brady, who gave several alleged comic songs of further on Mr. Taylor brought up Lugiusland who had surrepiltiously taken a cop of the tes, the modern popular order, in a style which with a great rush, and the little black, after a stamped him as a comedian of exceptional merit. | narrow shave legetting through, remped home an Body and mind are both gilts, and for the (of H. M. S. Linnet) were hastily sommoned. Mr. Brady has a capital stage face and he knows leasy winner by a couple of lengths from Sliver and rendered assir ance which probably saved how to use it. He made great hits in Costello's | King, with Mr. Cruickshank's stordy brown a the lives of all four, although none have yet "I've worked eight hours this day," and Leno's goodthird. The Hurdle Race with only two entries "The Shop-walker"-in the latter especiallylous substance, as yet undetermined, was dir- but to our way of thinking he butlesqued "The formerly in Phra Pak-di's employ as lamp | Wells, thoman in question, was a swindler and a | the starter for the Seven Furlongs' Race, the trimmer. He was discharged some months. fraud, but he didn't wear clothes that would have Exercise will do your body what intellectual | back, but re-appeared in the house on Sunday, got him six months hard labour for his appearand was seen in his late muster's room, where sace alone, nordid he strut about with the lower. known to be a bit amiss. The two favorites the tea-pot is kept. It is likely, however, that part of his figure behind stuck out like a builes que As we are sure they won't do it sgain, we

nondescripts who tried to decently warble "Ye Shepherds tell me" and failed; and as Mr. Theo. Lammert was by acclamation awarded the cake for his "I'll give him Ta-ra-ra-boomde-ay," we prefer to leave him alone in

valuable services he afterwards rendered in "Three Blind Mice." Mr W. Robinson was not on deck with "Only once more," Mr. Danenburg kladly filling the gap with another English ballid, which we were unable to follow. owing to the cheery proceedings which prevailed for in our immediate neighbourhood. We have heard Mr. D. Macdonald to far greater advantage than to "For all Eternity," although his fine baritone voice would not be denied; and we think that for a smoking concert the selection was not alt gether a happy one. The climax of the show came when Messrs. G. J. Vowles and C. T. Robinson appeared as the "Two Macs" in "The Cat came back," introduced by our friend Johnny Sheridan in "A trip to Chicago." If these two artistes didn't wish themselves dead after they had completed half a dozen verses, we can only tell them that the audience unanimously yearned for the consummation of such 'a happy despatch.' 'And the cat came back!' Well, if Thomas did think fit to come back, that is no excuse for the awful exhibition Vowles and Robinson made of themselves before a critical audience. We make no detailed allusion to certain lodiscretions which, of course, will never be repeated in Hongkong; but in common fairness we must protest against the unseemly interruptions, which were anything but creditable to those who took part in them,

We must not omit to chronicle or the benefit of our 'society' readers that the Hon. H. Stewart Lockbart occupied the chair, with Mr. C. H. Thompson as "Vice," supported by the Earl of Dunmoie, Sir W. Jardine, Mr. D. R. Sassoon, and a number of other leading members of the local world of fashion. The whisky is repeited to have been execuble, and the number of blg-heads on Sunday morning a warning to tectotallers.

HONGKONG POLO CLUB SKY MEETING, 1894.

President :- Governor Sir William Fobloson Patrons :- Vice-Admiral the ) on, Sir E. R.

Fremantle, K C.B.; Major-General Digby Barker, Committee: - The Hon. T. H. Whitehead : Captain A. H. Thomas, A.S.C.; Capt. in W. H.

Murray; C. E. Ruck-Keene, E. q. Honorary Secretary and Treasurer :- F. H. Judge: -- Major Acheson Lyle, S.L.I. Starter :- H. E. R. Hunter, Esq. Clerk of Scales :- Captain W. H. Murray.

Clerk of the Course :- Captain A. H. Thomas, Handicappirs: - The Hon. J. J. Keswick;

T. F. Hough, Esq. SATURDAY,-7TH APRIL, 1891. After over five months of bright clear weather without a single shower of rain, the sudden change in the temperature on Friday afternoon and the gathering of rain-clouds all over the colony accurately preseged that the long-expected some tune from early on Friday night until nearly mounton Saturday, when the rain stopped and the clouds cleared away, which fully justified the Executive of the Sky Meeting in deciding a concert room, to comfortably seat several to bring the races to an issue on the due date. The wisdom of this course was fully justified on Saturd y night might have been more advant. | that so many prople, who would otherwise have ageously arranged, and it is quite certain that | been present, kept away under the erroneous rain kept off, and the hard, perous sand which degree affected by the twelve hours downeventually there was a capital turn-out, which included a good proportion of the fair sex. The

> Kaiser"..... Lancors ..... Pepita ".....

Contrary to general expectation the course

Band of the Shropshire Light Infantry, directed

by Mr. Murphy, the Bandmaster, was in attend-

was in capital order-in fact, with the exception of one or two wet patches opposite the village and half-way down the straight, the A gentleman named Danenburg then made an rainfall had only affected it in the slightest degree ; and later in the afternoon the kong Police Force was held at the Central by Sims Reeves, "The Message," As Mr. 'going' had become fairly hard-hard enough Police Station this morning. Inspector Hanson | Danenburg possesses only a superficial acquain- to hear the ponies' feet rattle. Business presided, and there were also present Inspectors | tance with the English language and has yet to | was commenced considerably after the adver-Hennessy, Mann, and Butlin and about fifty acquire the art of singing, it is hardly necessary tised time, with the Half-mile Race which, European sergeants and constables, all of whom to say that his ambitious effort was not owing to accidents in training, only attracted were of opinion that "the application to the Go- a success; but all the same, his voice three, competitors to the post. The once vernment drafted on the 20th March, 1894, for an | is a rare tenor of high order, and is mysterious Exchange was, as he had a right to increase of pay on the basis of local pay at 30, 4d. | clearly susceptible of vast improvement. Mr. | be, made a het favorite, with only Swift and to the dollar and half pay and pensions at 3s. Ed. P. R. Wilson's character song "The Walter" Elsinore in the opposition, and never caused his to the dellar (the latter being the rate at which | appeared to amuse the audience, a large number | supporters the least anxiety, showing superior half payand pentions are now granted) should be joining in the chorus and otherwise making the speed all the way and winning cleverly in the at once forwarded to the Acting Governor." A rendering lively, Mr. Jas, Waddell sang Bishop's relatively fast time of 63 seconds. For some resolution to that effect was carried unanimously " Pilgrim of Love " with all the taste and inexplicable reason only three Polo ponies entered expression of years ago; but the flute-like tones for the quarter-mile Scurry, and there was a good that whereas 15 years ago constables in the of a once beautiful voice have greatly faded, and deal of applause when Major Lyle on Iron Duke local Force were receiving £100 per annum, in many of the finest passages the singer was in- bowled over the 3 to 1 on favorite. Stonehenge, andible in the back sents. Mr. C. T. Robinson A field of four came out for the One Mile Handicap-the handicapping in this Glasgow, Liverpool or New South Wales Forces. | Leno's 'That's the Joke," although his efforts | event, by the way, was something of a curiculty-A vote of thanks to the Chairman, carried by were warmly applauded; and Mr. R. Isbell's and there was a great rush on old Thunderbolt. acclamation, brought the proceedings to a close. | rendering of that old-world favorite "Vanity" | who certainly got off very cheap at 11st 31b. was hardly up to high-class form. Quarter- In the race, however, Mr. Taylor was in too great a hurry to get bome, and was readily Poisoning," the Stam Observer of March 28th local rendering of Morris' "The Sheeney Man," | beaten at the finish by the uncertain Havoc, Mr. says :-Phra Pak-di, the Opium Farmer, has appearing as a presentment of the well-known Master riding Mr. Fourman's Derby gay deceiver Vigilant, with Mr. Hart Buck in the saddle, wan the fancy of the talent in the Three-Quarter-Mile Race, but all the other five candidates were next (Slamese) year, and Phra Noraret, of the success; but it may be open to question also supported-more or less. The backers of the

favorite were soon out of suspense, as Vigilant weight would pull through, but a few strides was not a very sensational affair, and The Signor. lumping betterand displaying superior speed, led all the way and won easily. A field of five faced nenalised Exchange and the Amoy triple-winner Fidget having a decided call of Duart, who was made the whole of the running until near home. when Duart, on whom Mr. Taylor rode a most patient race, shot to the front and won cleverly s oblightly draw a vell over the joyial growd of from Widget, the heavy-weight flatching an

in the Ladles Nomination Race, although he had | fourth, with Maypele completely out-paced from a big slice of luck, as Mr Croicksbank held such | the start. At the Black Rock the leading pair a long lead after going half the journey that he must have wen but for some bungling in fixing up his girths. Major Lyle was placed second and Mr. | drive the lengthy dun, and at the entrance to the Cruickshankthird, the latter being closely hunted home by Mr. Strick. A good field of seven tried conclusions for the Champions' Cup, Havoc being made a hot favorite, with Nero and Thunderbolt next in demand. It looked at one up, and Duart, gamely answering his jockey's time as if the favorite would repeat his success. in the mile handlesp, but just as victory seemed assured, Mr. Taylor challenged with Thunderbolt | Exchange was a bad third, and the others and the other, deliberately cutting it, wis nowhere. Time, amin, of sec. beaten somewhat easily.

Shortly after the last race the prizes were presented to the winning owners in the Polo Club Stand by Mrs. F. H. May, wife of the popular Hon. Secretary, ber few graceful words in making the presentations eliciting. hearty applause.

The general arrangements left little to be desired. There was no fuss and no humbug. and everything went off in the amouthest manner possible. Capt. Marray, A.D.C., was in charge of the weighing room, Major Lyle acted as judge, Capt. Thomas as Clerk of the Course, and Mr. H. E. R. Hunter as starter, while Mr. F. H. May was ablquitous in the general management. Details are as follows :-

HALF-MILE RACE; prize presented; for all China ponies ; weight for inches as per scale, with 12lbs, added; subscription griffins of Mr. Landale's g. Endeavour, nom. by Mis. 1803-94 allowed 71bs ; bond fide polo ponies and hacks allowe! ralbs; second to receive. Mr. Gedge's g. Pitcher, nom. by Miss B. \$10 : third to save stake; entrance, \$3.

Mr. Ruck-Kiene's g. Exchange, 11st. 9'b...... Capt. Thomas I Mr. J D. Humphreys' g. Swift, 11st. olh. Mr. Harr Buck 2 Mr. Copenhagen's b. Elsinore, 12st: 51b......

attempt Swift was the first to show in advance. the strain ht Swift for a few siri 'es' showed proeasily by six lengths; Elsicore was a good third. Times, 312 and 63 seconds.

POLO SCURRY; quarter mile; prize presented by the Polo Ciub; for all bona fide polo ponies; carch weights over 12st, 7lbs.; second to save stake; entrance, \$2.

Capt .: n Thomas' b S onehenge, Capt' Thomas 2 Mr. F. H. May'sg. Sweet William, Capt. Murray 3 Odds of 3 to 1 were laid on Stonehenge. Iron Duke got a trifle the best of the start, and making 'all the running won very easily by two lengths from the favorite, with Sweet William a bad third. Time, 33 seconds.

ONE MILE HANDICAP, a breed entry for all China ponics entered at this meeting (except in races 2 and 7); entrance, SI; entries left in after the 4th of April, \$4 extra; entrance fees with \$10 added to go to the winner; second to receive \$10. Third to save stake,

Mr. Cruickshank's g. Havoc, 11st. 4lb ...... Mr. Taylor's g. Thunderbolt (late Volta, late Thunderbolt), 11st. 3lb ...... Mr. Taylor 2 Mr. Carruthers' w. Nero, 11st. 81b ..... Mr. Cruickshank

Mr. R. Fraser-Smith's g. Catterthun, 10st. Thunderbolt was backed at evens against the field. To a good start the favorite cut out the work next the rails, with Nero next and Havoc and Catterthun bringing up the rear, These relative positions were maintained for the hill the field took close order, and at the Rock Havor deprived Thunderbolt of the lead, and led into the straight with two lengths' advantage. At the mile post Thunderbolt made his effort, but falled to get on terms, and Havec, tidden out to the end, passed the post three lengths in front, the others pulling up at the finish. Times, 34. 67, 1.40 and 2.15.

THREE-QUARTER-MILE RACE; prize presented; together. Times, 34, 68, 1.421, 2.17, and 2.49. for subscription griffins of any year; weight for inches as per scale; winners and placed | HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION ponies at any race meeting in Hongkong or China (off-days not to count) rolls, and sibs. extra, respectively ; penalties accumulative; second to receive \$10.; third to save stake ; entrance, \$3.

Mr. 'R. Fraser-Smith's bik. Luginsland, rost. olb. (car. tost. 13lb) ......Mr. Taylor Mr. David's g. Silver King, 12st. 7lb. ...... Mr. Manners 2

Mr. Cruick hank's b. Gungadeen, 10st. 12lb. Mr. Cruickshank 3 Mr. Salop's g. Bliflum, 10st. 9'b., Capt. Hant o Mr. Blank's g. Exile, 11st. 6 b., Mr. Master ... o Mr. J. D. Humphreys' rn. Vigilant; 10st. 12lb. Mr. Hart-Buck o

Vigilant was very troublesome at the post, and after one false start, in which Luginsland galloped half-way up the Black Rock hill, the flag fell with Vigilant hopelessly left behind and Luginsland facing the wrong way. The latter was quickly started in pursuit, but the speedy goan's chance of victory was at once snuffed out. Gungadeen leri the way, with Exile and Silver King in immediate attendance, Blaffam and Exile following in close order, and the little black whipping in. Half a mile from home Siver King was sent to the front, but both Blaffum and Gunradeen hung on to bis quarters, and this trio entered the straight on almost equal terms, with Luginsland rapidly making uphis lee-way. At the mile starting post Luginsland came with a rush, and just managing to get a clear run between Silver King and Gungadeen, he came right away in the last fifty yards and won easily by two lengths; a fair third. Times, 32. 65, and 1.394.

HURDLE RACE; prize presented; for all China ponies; once round; weight for inches as per scale; previous winners of a Steeplechase or flict between the British and Portuguese on the Hurdle Race, rolbs. extra ; second to receive Zambosi. The Portuguese claim the control of Sto : third to save stake. Entrance, \$3. Mr. Salop's ch. The Signor, tost. 91b......

Mr. Manners' g. The Shifter, 10st. 91b., Mr. May 2 The Shifter was the better favorite, but he was never dangerous, the Regiment's chesnut leading the entire journey and, jumping very much faster than the grey, eventually achieved in casy victory.

SEVEN FURLONGS RACE; prize presented; for all China ponies; weight for inches as per scale ; previous winners and placed ponies at this meeting 121bs, and 5lbs, extra, respectively; hacks and polo ponies allowed 71bs.; second to receive \$10; third to save stake. Entrance, \$3.

Mr. R. Fraser-Smith's d. Duart, 17st, 11b,,... Mr. Taylor I Mr. Pug's b. Fldget, 12st. 1lb. .....Mr. Master 2 Mr. Ruck-Keene's g. Exchange, 12st. alb. 

Mr. F. H. May's g. Maypole, 11st. 7lb....... Mr. Copenhagen's b. Elsinore, 11st. 71b. .....

Exchange and Fidget were the best favorites. but Dusri was also greatly fancied in certain bush. quarters. To a capital send-off Duart made hot sunning for the first two hundred yards, when he states that the Russian Government are highly to legalise the Behring Sea Fisheries award. the unfortunate woman died, and wards the highly to legalise the Behring Sea Fisheries award. the unfortunate woman died, and wards the highly to legalise the Behring Sea Fisheries award.

were at least four lengths in front of Dasit, but going down the bill Mr. Taylor commenced to straight he had got within a couple of lengths of the leaders, Elsinore having dropped away after making a bold show opposite the village. In the race home Exchange was the first to crack calls, collared Silver King fifty yards from the chair and, going on, won easily by a length;

LADIES NOMINATION RACE, three prizes presented by the Polo Club; to saddle a pony on the course at the winning post, mount, ride round a post about 250 yards distant : return, dismount, and receive a cigar and a box of matches from a lady, light the cigar, mount, and ride over the same course again. First past the winning post, with cigar alight, and girths tight, to win. Entrance, \$1.

Mr. Blank's g. Exile, nom. by Mrs. Master, Mr. G. C. C. Master. Mr. Salop's g. Cloister, nom. by Mrs. Combe, Majnt Lyle. 2 Mr. Cruickshank's d. Parjo, nom. by Miss

J.ckson .....Owner. 3 Mr. F. H. May's g. Sweet William, com, by Mrs. May ......Owner. O Mr. J. G. Furbes' R. Boanerges, nom. by Miss Murray ......Owner. o

Hawkins ..... Owner. O Mr. Strick's g. Mac, nom. by Mis. Eyton

Banjo got a long way the best of the start and went the first part of the journey many lengths in front. Owing to there being apparently something wrong of her with his rigar or Exchange was a hot favorite. "At the fourth | the matches, or the pony's girthy, his sider lost lets of time before getting under way for the but after gelieg ab ue a hundred yards Exchange | final gallop. Meanwhile Mr. Marter, who can susbed op on the rai's, and before the village ride a bit and dispensed with the use of stirrups, was reached had drawn clear. At the turn min | had obtained a clear lead and wen just as be liked. Mejor Lyle, on a featfully and wenderfully minently, but half-way down Fxchange had the | made old ser w, was second, and Mr. Cruickrac in hand and coming away by himself won | shank, who rode pluckly to the end, a good

CHAMPIONS CUP , presented by D. R. Sassoon, Esq. - 11 miles ; for all China ponies ; weight for inches as per scale. Frevious non-s'arters at this meeting 7ths, ex'rs. Second to receive \$10. Third to save stake. Entrance, \$3.

Mr. Taylor's g. Thunderbelt, 10it. 11b...... Mr. Taylor Mr. Cruickshauk's g. Havoc, 11st. 4lb. ... .... Mr. Carruthers' w. Nero, 11st, 11b.

Mr. Cruickshank Mr. Cruickshank's br. Gungadeen, 10st. 12lb. Mr. Gedge Mr. R. Fraser-Smith's d. Duart, 11st 11b .....

Capt. Thomas o Mr. J. D. Humphreys' g. Swift, rost gib. ..... Mr. Hart Buck Mr. David's g. Silver King, 11st. 11b..... Mr. Manners

Havoc was most fancled, but Thunderbolt Duart, Silver King and Nero were also strongly supported. The flag was dropped to a capital start and Gungadeen made running from Silver King and Havor, with Nero third and the others in close order. After passing the Grand Stand the brown subscription pony was passed by Silver King and Nero, Havoc lying third, very close up, with Thunderbolt and Duart handy and holding good places next the rails. After passing the Bowrington Bridge Havoc rushed to the front and was followed up the hill by Silver King and Thunderbolt, with Duart, Swift and Nero in hot pursuit. Making the first half of the journey, but on rising descent to the village Thunderbolt parted company with : fiver King and at the quarter-mile post challenged for the lead, the rest of the field closing up rapidly as they faced for home. Havoc 'cut it' inside the distance, and Thunderbolt, most judiciously ridden by Mr. Taylor, running true to the end, won somewhat easily at the finish by rather more than a length, with Nero a fair third, and the rest of the field close.

There were fourteen competitors for th Martini speons on Saturday, a slight falling-off in numbers since the series of competitions was inaugurated. Sergt. Major Liddle, S.L.I., was first with 66 out of a possible 75, and Messrs. Gillics and Chapman took second and third spoons respectively.

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Sergt Warnock	. 13	27	19	•	59
Sergi. Duncan	. 10	#3	14		59
Mr. T. Smyth	. 10	19	19	- 5	58
Inspector Mann, H.K. P.		10	15	. 0	57
Mr. E. C. Shepherd	. 10	19 -	14	4	57
Inspector Watson	. 13	17	16	6.	50
Condr. Ashe, R.N.	. 18	10	88	•	55
Bergt, McLennan	. 10	PO	11		51
Capt. Palmer, O.S.D.,	. 15	30	. ro	4	51
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NEWS BY THE GERMAN MAIL.

LONDON, March 11th. The Fank of Australasia has declared a divid-

end of 71 per cent. On Saturday, Sir Thomas McIlwigith interviewed the Marquis of Ripon and obtained a promise that the boundaries of New Guinez should be decided in accordance with the desires of the colonists. Lord Ripon stated that he was willing to request the British" Parliament to legislate in favour of prohibiting theemployment of Japanese labour in the Queensland sugar mills, also to impress upon his colleignes the importance of direct cable communication between Australia and Canada,

Further details have been received of the conpart of the territory, and object to the construction of the telegraph. The proposal of the Liberal party to crect a

national memorial to Mr. Gladatone is being McCulloch, the "Sliver King," is building a

large private picture gallery and intends settling down in London. March 12th.

Mr. Mercler, leader of the French Canadian party in Canada, asserts that in the event of the Catholics being further prevented by the Government from having religion taught in the public schools, he would lead an insurrection. Mr. Mercler was formerly Premier of the province of

Intelligence has been received of the complete success of the British troops over the slave dealers on the Gambia River, West Africa. Order has been completely restored in the country under British territorial jurisdiction, Details of the capture and destruction of Gunjur, the slavetrade centre, shows that the naval bilgade had a | States," perilous landing in the surf. On joining Major. Madden they found the town evacuated and on fire. It is believed that Fodisilab, the slavetrader, with a handful of warriors, is hiding in the

Indifferent, third. Mr. Master had an easy task | the pace from Fidget, Duart lying third, Elslnore | mercial treaty with Germany by the Reichstag, though the political leaders in Russia are afraid that France may induce an outbreak of war in Europe by her impetuous activity abroad, and her absurd enthusiasm at home.

The New York Times in an article on the low pice of astver and the general position of the white metal declares that the only way to control the price is "to curtail the supply." Electricity. it points out, will rossibly cheapen projuction to such an ex ent that it will be profitable to work the mines even if the price falls to 45 cents.

The Daily Chronicle in an article on the Pacific cable and Mr. Huddant's proposed new line of steamers to run between England, Canada and Australia, gives a general aupport to the proposals and to the suggestion that Great Bri ain should co-operate in the establishment of the calle and steamer service. The Morning Post favours a subsidy being paid by England to Mr. Huddart's line of steamers. With reference to the Pacific cable, however, the Post says that unless it is entirely British it would be useless for markime purposes in time of war and should therefore not receive any Imperial assistance. The suggestion is made in the article that this cable should be under Government control. South Australia and other interests connected with the present service | welle. To Shanghai : Mrs. McEwen, four receiving compensation.

A bomb has exploded in the Italian quarter of New York, but the explosion was unattended by Ross three children and maid. any personal injury.

Sir T McIlwraith assures the Pall Mall Once aland to work at the sugar mills.

Viscount Deerhurst, eldest son of the Earl of Coventry, has married Miss Victoria Bonyoge. Captain Maxwell's expedition, numbering and sent to suppress the disturbance on the Indian border, is now reported to be safe, and within three days' murch of heid-quarters. "It is now stated that the force destroyed at Bordax was a small Sepoy guard, and that no

British officer has been killed. The Colonial Office authorities announce that Lord tio etour.'s term as Governor of Victoria will not terminate till November, but they are willing to allow him leave of absence on the bai : Mr. A. H. Heath, Mr. J. F. Rodewild, same terms as were given to Lord Kintore, Mr. F. W. Styan, Mr. Hawes, Mr. Sinclair, Mr.

namely, the serving of an extra year. LAUNCESTON, March 12th. The Rev C. Rogers, Pastor of the Congregational Courch at West Devonport, having refused to acknowledge the Congregational Union, three agents of the Union entered the Church and after a severe fight threw Rogers into the street. Rogers was much burt about the head. The Minister and congregation returned, battered down the door and resumed possession.

LONDON, March 13th. The Midland and Western Railway Company of West Australia are considering a scheme for establishing settlements along the route of the rallway they are constructing in West Australia on the land-prant system. It is proposed to raise a c pital of £100,000 for the furtherance of this scheme.

The French Press commenting on the recent encounter between British and French troops at Sierra Leone, says that the encounter illustrates the folly of two Powers pretending to exercise control over territory belonging to neither. They advise the Government to withdraw the troops. In the speech from the Thione on the opening of Parliament reference was made to the Slerra Leone incident, and it was stated that inquiries were being made by the Government and it was

trusted that the outcome would be satisfactory. On Wednesday night by a majority of 100 the House of Commons refused to grant an amnesty to Irish political prisoners.

Mr. Ozenbridge, & Civil Servant, who was alleged to be implicated with Mr. Jabez Balfour in the Liberator frauds, and who, the Times declared, should be dismissed from the public service, has now resigned.

The death is announced of John Selby, the well-known Notts cricketer and sprint runner. Selby was born on July 1st, 1849, and was therefore in his forty-fifth year. At various times he did excellent service in the 'tented field for his county.

#### LATE TELEGRAMS.

PARIS, March 24th. The Sanitary Conference which has been sitting here has completed its labours. Its decisions comprise elaborate sanitary precautions and rules for Indian pilgrim ships, Quarantine. however, for such ships is never to exceed five

LONDON, Murch 25th. The Auckland Postal Conference has rejected the proposal for establishing a Penny Postage between England and the Australian colonies, member of the Legislative Council, outnumbered fearing a loss of revenue thereby. Lady Portal is to receive a pension from the

Quren's Civil List. Government will consult India before assenting . It, would be well if the authorities in the to the decisions of the Paris Sanitary Conven- | Colonial Office paid a little more attention to the

Four thousand delegates have arrived in Rome | : Dat they have duties to perform which notevento attend the Medical Congress to be held there. | the Treasury or War Office should control said

The Times publishes an article on Indian | mitted to their charge, is a breach of faith which finance which strongly appeals to Manchester | musticutail, as a result, disaffection and diconmen themselves nev to inflict a wrong on India | tent .: The Parliamentary colonial party have and biere our national reputation for fair dealing | their work before them; and it is to be hoped that among Irdian races.

Commander Lovett Cameron, the African look forward to them with hope, which we trust explorer, was killed by being thrown from his will not prove misiaid. horse while out hunting.

Cleister has been acratched for the Grand National Steeplechase, owing to sickness.

LINCOLN SPRING, MUETING. Tuesday, March 27th. .. The LINCOLNEHIRE HANDICAP of 1,000 sovs, Striks, Ceylon, and Hongkong. None should after February 13', at noon, 5lb,; of two, or named .- L. and C. Express. one value 200 sove, 7lb; of one value 500 nova, rolb, extra; second receives to rove; entrance, 5 rove, the only forfelt if declared to Mester. Weatherby by Tuesday, February 6th; the Straight Mile, 60 subs, 30 of whom p-y 5 novs each .- Closed January and, 1894. Baron de Rothschild's Le Nicham, 4yrs, 851.

Mr. D. Cooper's Juvenal, 5918., 711. 71b....... 2 Sir J. Blundell Maple's Macready, 5yrs., 6st. 

LONDON, March 27th. Mr. Munro Ferguson was re-elected for Leith, having polied 5,823, against 4.692 polled by Mr. Bell, the Conservative candidate

March 28th. Mr. Thomas Shaw was re-elected for Hawick, having polled 3,203 votes against 2,556 polled by Mr. Fullarton, Unionist candidate.

The Hon. George Foster, Minister of Finance. in presenting the Tariff Bill to the Canadian Parliament, explained that the development of industries since 1878, and the lowering of prices. obviated the necessity of maintaining the same amount of protection. Great Britain and the Colonies would, he said, share in every mutual arrived with his wife from Singapore by the concession made by Canada to the United.

In the House of Commons last night, Sir | the body was placed in the coffin on Menday

The American Government, he said, had sharply complified of the delay that had taken plice with the award, but he explained that the affair had been forgotten (1) owing to the change in foreigners are allowed in the "forts" now on

Government. The general effect of the Canedian Tariff isto prove effective passports. benefittrade with Great Britain: Sugar is fie up to listeon wishe Dutch standard:

taken place in the neighbourhood of Timbuctor, and that the French have attacked and roued [H.B. M. Consul, previous to his departure for two binds of Tourregs.

#### PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR THE FAR EAST.

Per P. & O. sleamer Arcadia, from London. March 16 h:- To Yokohama : Misa Stewart, and Mrt. J. W. Franktio. . Shanghai : Mr. Walkirshaw. To Shanghal: Mr. and Mrs. G. Clak. To Hongkong: Mr. H. Tomkins,

Per P. & O. spramer Valetta, from London, March 20th.-To Yokobama : Mr. Geo. Brathchildren, governess, and maid, Mrs. and Miss Meffel. From Biladist.-To Shanghai : Mrs.

Mrs. and Miss Gordon, Mr. H. M. Bevis, Mr. William White Mr. Pechatnoff. To Hongkong: Mr. and Mrr. Saunders, Miss Andrews.

Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Malbourne from Marscilles, April 1st.-To Shinghat: Lady Sich, Mr. Che, Dr. Chao, Mr. Walsham.

from Marsellles, April 15th .- To Hongkong: Mr. A. Pelu-, Pre Canadian Pacific stramer Empress of India, from Vancouver, April 2nd .- To Shing-J. H. Craven, Mr. C. Overbeck, Mr. A Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald. To Hongkong: Mr. A. J. H. Carlill,

Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Oceanies,

#### THE NEW COLONIAL PARTY.

The formation of a Colonial Party in the House of Commons is a matter of too great importance to be passed over without nime special notice. With Sir John Gorst as an able leader; with Sir Thomas Sutherland, whose practical knowledge of the Faz East all must acknowledge; and Mr. Henniker Heaton, whose stolid pertinacity has wrought such beneficial changes in our postal communication; and other emigent Members of Parliament joining in. there is substantial hope that the position of risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Crown Colonies may be brought into considera- I Rowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at tion, and the just complaints, which call for redress, may attract attention.

There can be no doubt that a very sedous !: spirit of discontent exists in many of our Cown Colorles, and especially among those of the Far TO-DAY. East, which have of late years been subjected to Milliary Contribution—a contribution forced upon them in contravention of their Charter and to rent. !in spite of protests from all and every Government efficer or inhabitant. Upwards of nine months since, the Straits Association willed upon the Secretary of State for the Colonies, calling his attention to the ontons demand in support of the military charge inflicted on the Straits Settlements, which sucked their very life-blood. No reply has been, as yet, vouchsafed. The Treasury and War Office remain obdurate, and the Minister of State, who is supposed to watch over the interests of the unfortunate colonists, lets them slide into bankruptcy. This f-ree of a Colonial government is, at last, becoming intolerable. Federation, B.T. J.O H.N. the pet cry of the day, concerns only those colories which are independent, and care tot a brasi farthing for Downing Street. It is the unfortunate Crown Colony which has to pay the piper. They can be set upon and plundered, and sho cares to help them? The present system may have suited our grandfathers is the days of slow communication; but it is ullerly unsuited to the end of the nineteenth century. when steam and telegraph, not to speak of advanced education, have so materially charged the status of the colonist. An Erecutive Council, whose members are forced to yote, against their consciences, at the beck of Downing Street, is a prostitution of common sense at dis-

by the official trimmers, labours in vain for the general benefit and hence heartburnings and discintent in colonies bitherto loyal. complaints submitted to them, and understood March 26th. that a dereliction of those duties, to those comthey will not fail to do their best to render juiled to whom justice is due. The colonies—Crown—

cord with the spirit of the age. The uneficial

That there are a number of members hithe House of Commons who are of pointon that the Colentes do not contribute supugh towards their defence is well known ; but it is also certain that some are galled upon to pay too much, such wither added to a sweepstakes of 20 sovs each, to ft objett to a fair demand on their resources; but unless declared; the winner of any handicap- let it be fall, and not excessive as in the dises

#### SIAM NOTES,

Baugkok, March 28th, 1814. We learn that the coupsel for the prosecution in the Ban Bien case have applied to the French authorities, through the Foreign Minister, for the production of Ban Bien and his Cambelian interpreter, to substantiale the statements made by them to M. Pavis. If the application is gratted-and it seems a very proper and statonable one-the trial cannot commence for at least another two or three months.

-Up to date the arbitrators in the dipute between the Royal Rallway Department and Mr. Murray Campbell have awarded the latter Tcs. 340,000. On some points, we are infemted. Mr. Robns produced absolutely no evidence. The decisions regarding about two hundred thomand ticals are left over for a time, to see if the embankments seitle, and so on, but the contractor is pressing for an award one way or 77] the other without further delay,

A French feather merchant named Tielland Hetale, on Sunday morning, and put up at the Globs Hotel. The same evening Mme. Thiland The death is announced of General Robert | wasprematurely confined, and medical assistance was sant for. The doctor of the Vibles klone attended, and pronounced life extinct, but when Sole Charles Russell, the Attorney-General, gave aftentoon signs of vitality were shown and the The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times | notice that to-morrow he would introduce a Bill | hearso was dismissed ! A little later, however, was polled back, leaving Exchange to out out I gratified at the practical endersement of the com- | and to regulate future scaling in that quarter. | yeslinday mothing. The baby survived, however,

March 30th. We understand that the Schwalbe brought more troops to Chantaboon this trip. No 'Any pretence-but Sheffield bayonets may yet

On Wednesday night H. R. H. Prince Davawongse entertained the members of the diplo-Latest advices state that fresh fighting las. matte and consular corps at a dinner given in the Po eign Office in honor of Mr. E. H. French, Egrenors Man.

We learn-that the ceremonies in connection with the halr-cutting of H. R. H. Chao Fa Yukon, fixed for the 7th April, have been portponed iinli May. There will, however, be a similar ceremony to honor of two other young princes. wery shortly.

We learn that Phra Pakedi and the others Miss H. Robinson, Miss Wel. To Kobe: Mr. | whose lives were assailed by Chinese rivals are progressing favorably. The man who put the and Mrs. E. V. Calver and child, Rev. James | politin in their ten is said to have confessed to Keers Mr. N. McTavish. To ongkong : Mr. | veceiving a bribe of thirty cattles (say £130) and Mrs. Laurle, Mr. and Mts. R. Allan, Miss. Very unaccountably the principals in the affair have not yet been airested .- Observer.

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### MAILS EXPECTED.

THE GERMAN MAIL The Norddeutscher Lloyd's, steamer Sachien, with the outward German mail, left, Singspore on the 5th instant, and may, by expected here to-

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Gaelle, with

mails, &c., from San Francisco, left Yokobama. on the 7th instant, and may be expected here on with mails, &c., left San Prancisco for this port, To

via Yokohama on the 20th ultimo. THE CANADIAN MAIL ... The Canadian Pacific Railway Co. a steamer Empress of India, with the Canadian mail left Vancouver on the 3rd instant for Yokohams,

Kobe, Nagasaki, Shanghal and Hongkong. THE INDIAN MAIL The Arratoon Apcar, from Calcutta, left Bingapore on the 7th instant, and may be expected

here on the 12th. MORTHERN PACIFIC MAIL. The Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer

Tatema left Victoria, B.C. on the 5th instant for

Yokohama and Hopzkong,

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The 'Glen' line steamer Glosfruie, from London and Straits, left Singapore on the 5th | and 86 Chinese. Instant, and may be expected here on the 1sth....
The Austrian Lloyd's S. N. Co.'s steamer

may be expected here on the 15th.

Vindobona left Singapore on the 6th ingtant, and

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ARRIVALS.

GLUCKSBURG, German steamer, 925, P. Thomses, 9th April,-Saigon 4th April, Rice.-Melchers & Co.

SACHSEN, German steamer, 3,432, H. Supmer, o'h April,-Bremen 28th Feb., and Singapore 5th April, Mails and General .-- Melchers & Co. BENLAWERS, British steamer, 1,784, A Webster,

10th April,-London, wie Penang, and Livingston & Co. CHINA, German steamer, 1,114, P. Voes, 10th April,-Saigon 5th April, Rice.-Melchers

Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, HESPERIA, German steamer, 1,123, H. Witt, 10th April,-Saigon 5th April, General,- Siems-CHOYSANG, British steamer, 1,194, R. C. D.

Bradley, 10th April,-Shanghai 3rd April, and Amoy oth, General .- Jardine, Mathesen ROHILLA, British steamer, 2,174, W. J. Nantes,

10th April,-Shanghai 7th April, Mails and General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. CLAM, British steamer, 2,310, D. J. Davies, 10th April London, per Batoum, and Singapore,

3rd April, Oil.—Shewan & Co. LY-EE-MOON, German steamer, 1,238, G. Henermann, soth April,-Shanghal 7th April, General,-Siemssen & Co. OCEANA, German steamer, 1,648, T. Behrens,

10th April,-Singapore 4th April, General -Siemssen & Co. PEMPTOS, German steamer, 1,541, P. Cornelsen, 10th April .- Moji 4th April Coals .- Siemssen & Co.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Kwangles. Chinese steamer, for Shanghal. Fokten, British steamer, for Swatow. Menmouthshire, British steamer, for Salgon. Abner Coburn, American ship, for Manila. Victoria, British steamer, for Kobe. Benmehr, British steamer, for Salgon, Thibet, British steamer, for Singapore, Borneo; Dutch steamer, for Singapore.

DEPARTURES. April o. Nanchang, British str., for Cantons

April 10, Andreta, British ship, for Manile. April 10, Mount Waskington, American back, for Kutchino su

April to, Freir, Danish steamer, for Holhow. April 10, Ethiope, British steamer, for Salgon. April 10, Folien, British steamer, for Bwatew. April 10, Victoria, British str, for Kobe, &c. April 10. Thibes, British siz., for Singapore, &c. April 10, Bornes, Datch str., for Singapore, Ac April 10, Kwangler, Chinese str., for Shanghal,

PARSENCERS ARRIVED. Per Benlawers, from Singspore, &c. - 340

Per Sacksen, from Bremen, &c.-Mr. Museo Italian Vice-Cousel) and Mrs. Musso, Mr. and The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer. City of Poling, Mrs. Waggestaff, Mr. and Mrs. Zillinous, Messes. Cornow and family, George Griffith, Judd and family, Box all, Helgold, Mongens and family, C. Nieriker, A. Breere, Henry Wingrove, George Basuro, German bark, 348, H. Eggers, 14th Thursby, Charles Land, C. Krehs, H. B. Lawis, Oct., Amoy 4th Oct., Sugar, Wisier & Co. Miss Woodfine, and 176 Chinese, Per China, from Balgon .- 20 Chinese,

Per Glucksburg, from Salgon,-15 Chinese, Per Rokula, from Shanghai for Hongkong.-Mrs. F. M. Walker, Infant and nurse, Captain Cunningham, Miss Scrivener, Mestra. J. G. M. Smith, Davey, and & Chinese. For Port Sall, -Colonel and Mrs. Andrieff and 3 children. For London .- Right Rev. Blahop and Mes. Moule. Ven Archdescon and Mrs. Menle, Mise Moule, Rev. Moule, Mr. Moule, Rev. T. C. and Mrs. Fulton, family and amab, Dra Mrs. and Mas'er Little, Misses Ross and Webster, Massis: MARTHA: DAVIS, American bark, :315 A. L. McFarlane, M. B. Anderson, and D. Banks. For Marselles, Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Burkell.

Per Oceana, from Bingapere, Messre, Moodt, Liebert, and 204 Chinere.

may be expected here on the 15th.

The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Afan lain | Mrs. Getley. From London.—Rev. U. 1.

Singapore on the 7th Instant, and may be expected here on the 25th.

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Per Victoria, for Kobs.—Mr. and Mrs. Get.

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The German steamship : Lyecoses on reports that she left Shangbal on the 7th last. From Steep Island to Pyramid Point misty weather and gain. From Pyramid Point to Hengkoog clear weather with strong and fresh sorth-mortheast and north-east wind; from 8th to 9th heavy thunderstorm.

The British steamship Benievers reports that she left London, vie Penang, and Singapore on the erd lustant. Had light north-easterly winds and culms from Singapore, to Cape Padaras, From Cape Padaras to Paracele had fresh south-south-west winds; thence to port had fresh north-contenty winds with cloudy weather.

The British steamship Cheyeang reports that she left Shanghal on the 3rd instant, and Amoy on the oth. From Shanghal to Namki had strong breezes and moderate weather, when dense fog set in, and skip anchored for ta hours; thence to Turnsbout thick dirty weather. From Ternabout to Amoy had strong northeast winds with high sea and clear weather. From Amoy to Hongkong had moderate northerly winds and clear weather.

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A MAIL WILL CLOSE-For Holhow and Halphong. - Per Hongkong to-morrow, the 11th instant, at 9.30 AM. For Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama. and Vancouver, B.C.-Per Empress of China

to-morrow, the rath instant, at th A.M. For Taiwasion .- Per Fooksang to-morrow, the rath instant, at Er. 30 AM.

Elth instant, at EE.30 A.M. For Yokohama, Kobe, and Nagasaki.-Per Nurskery to-morrow, the 11th instant, at 11,30

For Batavia, Samarang, and Sourabaya,-Per Shandway to-morrow, the 11th instant, at 1.30

For Shanghal .- Per Castleventry to-morrow, the gath inecent, at 4.40 P.M. For Shanghal. Per Abergeldie to-morrow,

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG

the trib instant, at 4 to PM.

STEINER. ABERGRIDIE, British steamer, 1,859. R. K. Barnett, 5th April,-Middlesborough, and Antwerp aand February, General,-Shewan

Agues, French steames, 200 .- Geo. R. Stevens, AMCOMA, British steamer, 1,888, W. D. Mudie, oth April,-Yokobama tat April, Mails and General -P. & O. S. N. Co. BERTALDER, British steamer, 1,294, C. K.

McIntosh, 8th April, -Moji and April, Coals. -Glbb, Livingston & Co. BESCHOUR, British steamer, 1,935, J. H. Clark, 4th April -- Saigon soth March, Rice and Paddy.-Gibb, Livingston & Co. CARREVENTRY, British steamer, 1,991, W.

Honfield, oth April,-Antwerp 11th Feb. General,-Order. CHIMOTU, British steamer, 1,045, R. Innes, 6th April-Sydney 13th March, General,-

Butterfield & Swire. CITY OF RIO DE JAMEIRO, American steamer, J. F. Smith, 1st April,-San Francisco Sth. March, and Yokobama 27th, Malls and Ceneral -P. M. S. S. Co. CROMARTY, British steamer, 1,864, W. Duncan,

7th April,-Saigen 4th April, Rice,-Jasdine Matheson & Co. Singapore 3rd April, General-Gibb, DEVAWORGER, British str., 1,057, R. Unsworth, 4th April,-Bangkok ayih March, General -Yuen Fet Hong.

EMPRESS OF CHINA, British steamer, 5,003. R. Archibald, R.N.R., 27th March, -Vancouver 5th March, Yokohama 19th, Kobe Bist, Nagasaki Bist, and Shanghai 34th. General-C. P. R. Co. FAME, British steamer, 117 .- Houghoug Govern-

FIDELIO, German steamer, 793, Nissen, 8th April,-Bangkok jist March, Rice,-Melchers & Co. HOMGEONG, French steamer, 937, C. Bastran, 8th April .- Halphong 7th April, General .--

A. R. Marty. HUPRH, British stenmer, 2,846, T. Quall, 8th April,-Java 30th March, Sugar,-Better-

INDEPENDENT, German steamer, \$71, T. Ahrnkiel, oth April, -Bangkok 1st April, Rice. -Lauts, Wegener & Co. Loo Sox, British steamer, 1,000, J. B. Jackson,

evet March,-Bangkok 23rd March, and Kob-el-chang 24th, General,--Yuen Pat MONMOUTHERIER, British steamer, 1,872, Gedye, Ath April,-Bangkok 25th March, Rice .-

Dodwell, Carlill & Co. NURMERO, German steamer, 3,207, H. Walter, and April,-Yokohama agth March, Hiogo alth, and; Nagasaki i zoth, Melle and General -- Melchers & Co. PRAYA. 150, Captain MacIsaac,-Hongkong

Government Tender. PROTOS, German steamer, s,rcn, Fl./ Johannson, and April, Saigon joth March, Rice and Paddy,-Wieler & Co. SINGAPORE, British steamer, 748, J. L. Main.

Sth April .- Bangkok, and Kok-sichang sat April. Rice and Teakwood.-Yees Fat SIRH. Beltish steamer, 1,736, J. Rowley, yth:

April-Balgon and April, Rice,-Dodwell, SORACHI MARU, Japanese steamer, 1,100, T. Hayashi, aret March,-Mororan (Hokkaldo), 17th March, Coul, Order,

WINGSANG, British stermer, 1,517, A. de St. Croix, 3rd April, Calcutta 12th Match, and Singspore 27th, Opigm and General,-Jagy. dine, Matheson & Co. YUEMBAND, British steamer, 1,100, W. Widdliove.

oth April,-Manile 6th April: General.+Jazdine, Matheson & Co. SATEDIO VENERA.

ARREN COBURN, American ship, 1,078, J. P. Butman, 13th March, New York 20th October, Kerosens Oil.-Reuter, Brockelman & Co.

COLOMA, American bark, \$95, Cyrus M. Noyes, 26th Jan., Portland, and Honolulu 18th

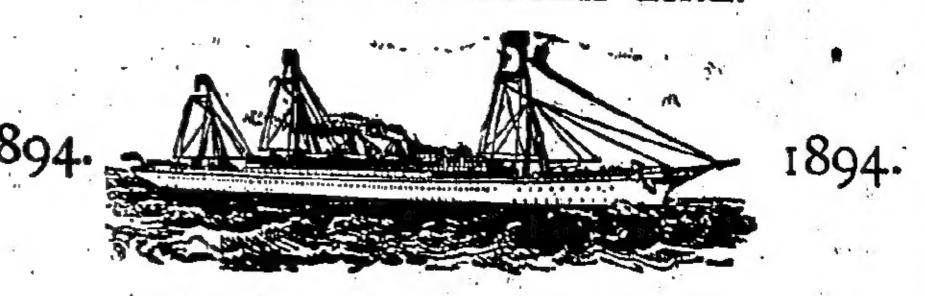
COUNTY OF CARDIDAN, British ship, 1,220. Griffling, sgih. Feb. Cardiff auth Uptober, Coal.-Government FAMILE SKOLPIELD, American ship, 1,068, W. Et. Sherman, 6th April,-Singapore 18th February, Timber,-Choo Shoeg Hing

FREMAMDO, Norwegian back, 347, R. Pettersen, and Bischwood. -- Moh Wong. Senis, oth March, -- Honolulu 4th February, Ballast -Shewan & Co. .. Per Ly-sa-moon, from Shanghal .- Mr. Rid, Orago, British bark, 146. C. B. Derborough

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